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Applicants:

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.114

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated August 18, 2006, a reply to which is due January 18, 2007 with a two-month extension of time, a petition for which is concurrently filed herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.